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Previous References
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Part B for December 1926

SUBJECT

Establishment of two village courts for Kolar taluq for a period of one year from 1st January 1927

Notn No P. 2636 dt 16-12-26

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File No. 14-26

FILE HEADING.

Village Courts - Kolar Dt

From

The Collector, Kolar

Report No. 3951/25-26 Dated 5-7-26 Received 8-7-26.

Diary No. 171	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 3

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Recommends that 2 Village Courts be established at Kolar town, on either side of the Bangalore Street

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The Peons and office boys are now paid by the village servants. It is not known whether the present village servants can cope with the work and under whom they have to work. Generally the Village Courts are located in the village Chavadi. It is not stated where these 2 Courts will be located. No provision servants have to be appointed and [illegible] buildings have to be rented, there is no provision in the budget to [illegible] all these difficulties one cannot venture to take sufficient, considered

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appointing and energetic village Mensiffs is appointed Submit for orders - 2) Please bring up. The proposal is novel. CAG 15/7

Please pursue file re no 2328 of 1917 referred to in the Amildars report of 8/7/17 AAG 15/7

24/7/26 Asst 15/7

3) The papers send up with the recommendation were faire through Nowhere is any reason assigned for dividing the town into two parts and establishing a Court for each part. It is perhaps the number of Cases (105) that has prompted the suggestion. 105 is not a large number for a Court & there are ~~Bench~~ Village Courts (eg Kalamb) which have got a heavier file. Further the village Courts are wanted for the town of Kolar by Sanctioned, this will be the first instance where village Courts will have been Sanctioned for a ~~Dist~~ Head Quarter town, where there is already a Mensiffs' Court. The very idea of a village Court for a place like that is novel. Village Courts are meant for the Convenience of the villagers who will otherwise have to go long distances for the disposal of petty suits. When there is already a regular Mensiffs Court for the place, it will be an anomaly to start a village Court (much less two Courts, which are likely to differ over village servants

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Others who are responsible for the service of processes &c of Village Courts) the recommendation may perhaps be vetoed.

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4) The proposal seems to be a novel one & may not be sanctioned.

Dy Secy

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5) Whether the objection to permit a V.M. Town as a Municl Town? Please ascertain whether Madras has such.

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6) There is no objection to the establishment of a village court in a Municipal Town. Village Courts have already been established in municipalities - Madura - Tanjore - etc Q+R. Four years' list of Jurors supplied were from Municipalities. Village courts have been established in Madras in Unions - There is no ready information whether Village courts are established in Municipal areas. Reference para 5 above

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7) May the Rev Com be asked to ascertain whether V.P's courts are opened in Municipal Towns in Madras Presy?

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8) A copy of the Madras Act may be put up

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9) Should with the Madras Village courts Act. In the Madras Act the word 'village' is defined as follows:-

"Village" means in a permanently settled estate a local area for which at the passing of this Act there is a village Munsiff's court constituted under the Madras Regulation IV of 1816 or for which a village court has been established under this Act; and elsewhere a local area recognised by govt from time to time as a village for purposes of collecting the land revenue

10) In Mysore the word village has been defined as follows:

Village means a local area recognised by govt from time to time as a village for purpose of collecting the land revenue and includes any area for which a village court may be established under this Regulation

11) Hence it appears that village courts cannot perhaps be established in Madras ~~under~~ in municipal areas, whereas the same can be done in Mysore.

12) Submitted with reference to para 5.

24/8/26

13) From the definition of the Word "Village" in our Regulation (Regn) and the authority given in Sec 3 to establish Courts, it is clear that a Village Court can be established for any specified area, which

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includes a Municipality.

14) Our Regulation was modelled on the Act in force in Madras & it is found that Sec 5 of the Act is almost exactly worded as Sec 3 of our Regulation. The definition of 'Village' in the Madras Act, though somewhat different includes any local area for which a Village Court is established. Hence in Madras also there is no objection to establish a Village Court for a Municipal town, if the Act is to be interpreted strictly. Information as to whether Village Courts have been established for Municipal towns in Madras is not available. As far as can be gathered from the returns published (Vide flag S), Village Courts established are all for villages & not for towns

vide flag S

15) It is stated that though on a literal interpretation, a Village Court can be established in a Municipal town yet the project was intended to relieve the rural population of the trouble & inconvenience of having to go long distances for the disposal of petty suits. Kind attention is invited to the Statement of Objects & reasons (flag T) Where there is already a Munsiffs' Court, it is perhaps superfluous to establish Village Courts. Another aspect is loss of revenue. The Court-fee Charges in Village Courts is $\frac{1}{4}$ th the usual fee & the more Court-

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means more loss This may be a reason for people, even in Towns, to ask for village Courts, and for enhancement of their pecuniary jurisdiction.

Lt Secy 1st Member 16) Refer para 6 cag 16/8 8/9 6/9 cag 6/8

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17) Village Courts have already been set up in some areas but cannot well resist the demand for increase of jurisdiction

D.C.'s also

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18) Kind attention is invited to flagged.

1st Member cag 9.8

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17) May be sanctioned as an experimental measure for 1 year. The D.C. should report in time whether the Courts should be continued or not. If it is usual to consult Chief Court also, please do so first.

Sd 14/9 11.8 cag 11.8

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18) Sanctioned Sd 14/8/26 APM 17/8

It is not usual to consult Chief Court in such cases YS.

19) Please bring up cag 17/8

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20) Put with draft as directed - Issue
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8 To The Rev Comr
No P809 d 14.8.26.
Requests to specify the local area of the 2 proposed Courts in which each has to exercise jurisdiction.
Rec'd 21/8

9 From
The Revenue Comr
Letter no 3951 d 2.11.26.
Forwards a copy of letter d 21.10.26 from the Deputy Comr: specifying the local area of Kolar Town for the jurisdiction of the Village Courts
Put with the draft already put up regarding revised - Reference para 17. Do not want to enroll Chief Court -
"Major" mis-typed for "Police Delegation" Dhs regrets
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Asst 4/11
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1st member
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Cag 8/12
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12. To The Compiler Reg. Done
No P2636 d 16.12.26. Cag 17/1
Re objects the establishment of two Village Courts for Kolar Town with jurisdiction
To The Rev Comr.
The Dy Kolar
The Asst Chick
No P2637, 2638 & 2639 d 16/12
Rd a Copy of the above

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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE

Ref.on C.No. 3951/25-26.

Bangalore, 5th July 1926.

FROM C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq. B.A
REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

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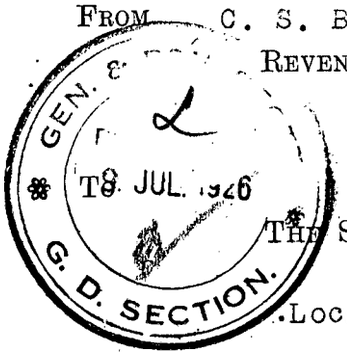

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
Local and Legislative REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Establishment of two village Munsiffs Courts for the Municipal limits of the Kolar Town.

SIR,

In forwarding herewith the file of correspondence received with the Kolar Deputy Commissioner's letter No.R.O.C. 1158/25-26 dated 1st June 1926 recommending the establishment of two village Munsiffs' Courts for the Kolar town, it being divided into two parts, the main bazaar street being the boundary between the two divisions, I have the honour to state that as there appears to be sufficient litigation in the town for the two courts, and as the people are said to be keen about the proposal, the sanction of Government may kindly be obtained in the matter.

A copy of the letter from the Deputy Commissioner referred to above, along with the lists of persons eligible to constitute the benches, accompanies.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

C S Balasundaram Iyer

Revenue Commissioner.

G.R.M.

Letter No.R.O.C. 1158/25-26 dated 1st June 1926 from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, to the Revenue Commissions in Mysore.

I have the honour to forward herewith the record relating to proposals for opening two Village Munsiff's Court in Kolar town in accordance with G.O.Notification No. 2378/Legis.16-133 d dated 18th February 1914. The Jurisdiction of these courts will be restricted for the time being to the Municipal limits of Kolar town the big bazaar street being the boundary between the two divisions to be comprised within the Jurisdiction of the said Courts.

2. I enclose herein lists of persons eligible to sit as Benches for the trial of suits in two Divisions.

3 The enclosed letter received from Munsiff of Kolar, shows that as many as 105 cases pertaining to Kolar town of the pecuniary value not exceeding R. 20/- were filed in the Kolar Munsiff's Court during 1924-25.

4. The formation of the Courts proposed while affording ample facilities to the litigant public goes some way in minimising the work on the file of the Kolar Munsiff.

5. For the above reasons, I request that sanction of Government may be obtained at an early date for constituting two Courts in Kolar Town as proposed above. The people of Kolar Town are keen about the proposal.

Copy.

For Revenue Commissioner.

G.R.

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SUBJECT.....

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File No. 14-26.

Serial No. 8

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

No. 809

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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The Revenue Commr

Sir

Date of issue 14/8/26

With reference to your letter no. Ref 3-9-57/25-26 dt 8.7.26 recommending the establishment of 2 village Municipal courts in Kolar town, the main bazaar street being the boundary between the two divisions, I am directed to state that the proposed jurisdiction is not definite and to request you to kindly specify the local area of these 2 proposed courts in which each has to exercise jurisdiction.

Signed by.....

I have etc

List of enclosures.....

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Examined by.....

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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER

Ref.on CNo. 3951/25-26.

Bangalore, 1st November 1926

FROM C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

Cb 14-26—9

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
Local & Legislative ~~REVENUE~~ DEPARTMENTS.

Subject:-- Establishment of two Village Munsiffs for the for the Municipal limits of the Kolar Town.

SIR,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No.P.809/Cts.14-26-8 dated 16th August 1926 calling for definite specification of the local area of Kolar Town for the respective jurisdiction of the two proposed Village Courts, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of letter No.M.4-C.561-26-27 dated 21st October 1926 received from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, in the matter.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

C S Balasundaramayyar

Revenue Commissioner.

BR.

Letter No.M.4-C.561-26-27 dated 21st October 1926. from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore.

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I have the honour to note in the margin the local area of the two

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1. Part of the Kolar Town lying to the South of the main Bazaar street (Doddapete and continuing up till it meets the Narana Iyer's street). 2. Part of the Kolar Town lying to the North of the Big Bazaar street -- (Doddapete).	proposed Village Courts in Kolar Town, as called

for in your Memo No.C.3951/25-26 dated 26th August 1926.

C o p y "

For Revenue Commissioner.

BR.

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 16/12/26

Signed by.....

Subject to approval

1. Part of the Kolar town lying to the south of the main Bazaar street (Doddapete and Cantonment up till it meets the Narayana Pyein street).

2. Part of the Kolar town lying to the north of the Big Bazaar street (Doddapete)

List of enclosures.....

This decision must be submitted

Copied by..... 14/12

Examined by.....

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To P 2636

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Under section 3 (1) of the Mysore Village Courts Regulation, 1913, the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of mysore are pleased to establish, for a period of one year from 1st ~~January~~ January 1927, two village Courts at the places for Kolar town

The said Courts shall have and exercise jurisdiction within the municipal limits of the town, as ~~the big bazaar street being the road in between for the two Courts~~ shown in the margin

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To
The compiler mysore gazette.

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memo F 2637 Records

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Bde. with reference to the correspondence ending with this letter no: 3954/25-26 G 8.4.26

The vernacular records received with his letter are herewith returned

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Dist. Hdq

memo no: F 2638

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Dist. Kolar for information and the observation that a report is in this matter may be submitted to govt. Whether the courts should continue

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F 2639 Dist Hdq

Copy to Repr. Bchiy Court under cl

8/4 26 Apr 1926